

Docket No.: 054024-0027



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Naoki MATSUI	:	Confirmation Number: 7943
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Application No.: 09/781,235	:	Group Art Unit: 2612
Patent No.: 6,982,749 B2	:	
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Filed: February 13, 2001	:	Examiner: Gary VIEAUX
Issued: January 3, 2006	:	

For: REMOTE CONTROL CAMERA SYSTEM AND IMAGE TRANSMISSION METHOD

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.323**

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Sir:

In reviewing the above-identified patent, a printing error was discovered therein requiring correction in order to conform the Official Record in the application. The error was made in good faith and was of a clerical or typographical nature or of minor character.

The error noted is set forth on the attached copy of form PTO-1050 Rev. 2-93 in the manner required by the Commissioner's Notice.

Specifically, on the title page of the patent, Item "(73) Assignee", change "Sanyo Electric Co., Ltd., Osaka (JP)" to - - MINOLTA CO., LTD., Osaka (JP) - -. A copy of the recorded Assignment is attached. The requisite Petition under 37 CFR 1.183 to Correct Assignee Information is being filed concurrently herewith.

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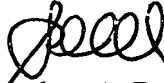
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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO. : 6,982,749 B2

DATED : January 3, 2006

INVENTOR(S): Naoki MATSUI

It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page of deed:

Item "(73) Assignee:" Change "Sanyo Electric Co., Ltd., Osaka (JP)"  
to -- MINOLTA CO., LTD., Osaka (JP) --.



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PLEASE REVIEW ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THIS NOTICE. THE INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THIS RECORDATION NOTICE REFLECTS THE DATA PRESENT IN THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT SYSTEM. IF YOU SHOULD FIND ANY ERRORS OR HAVE QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS NOTICE, YOU MAY CONTACT THE EMPLOYEE WHOSE NAME APPEARS ON THIS NOTICE AT 703-308-9723. PLEASE SEND REQUEST FOR CORRECTION TO: U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE, ASSIGNMENT DIVISION, BOX ASSIGNMENTS, CG-4, 1213 JEFFERSON DAVIS HWY, SUITE 320, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231.

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BRIEF: ASSIGNMENT OF ASSIGNOR'S INTEREST (SEE DOCUMENT FOR DETAILS).

ASSIGNOR:

MATSUI, NAOKI

DOC DATE: 01/30/2001

ASSIGNEE:

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3-13, 2-CHOME, AZUCHI-MACHI  
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To the Honorable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereto:

1. Name of Conveying Party(ies):

Naoki MATSUI

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: MINOLTA CO., LTD.

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3-13, 2-chome, Azuchi-machi, Chuo-ku, Osaka-shi

Osaka 541-8556, Japan

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes

3. Nature of Conveyance:

☒ Assignment☐ Merger☐ Security Agreement☐ Change of Name☐ Other

Execution Date: January 30, 2001

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

If the document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: January 30, 2001

A. Patent Application No(s).

B. Patent No(s).

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

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*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

Edward J. Wise, 34,523

February 13, 2001

Name and Registration No. of Person Signing

Signature

Date

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I (WE) Naoki MATSUI have invented a new and useful invention entitled REMOTE CONTROL CAMERA SYSTEM AND IMAGE TRANSMISSION METHOD, for which I (WE) have:

- (a) filed an application for United States Letters Patent on \_\_\_\_\_ as (Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_); or
- (b) executed an application for United States Letters Patent on Jan. 30, 2001; and

WHEREAS, MINOLTA CO., LTD., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Japan, having a place of business at Osaka Kokusai Building, 3-13, 2-chome Azuchi-machi, Chuo-ku, Osaka-shi, Osaka 541-8556 Japan, hereinafter called the "Assignee," is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, the application above identified, and in, to and under any Letters Patent which may be obtained to said invention, as hereinafter more fully set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable and legally sufficient considerations, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I (WE) have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the said Assignee, the entire, right, title and interest for the United States in and to the invention and application hereinabove identified, and any Letters Patent of the United States that may issue for said invention, together with the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and applications for Letters Patent and Letters Patent therefor, in all countries foreign to the United States, including the full right to claim for any such application all benefits and priority rights under any applicable convention; to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all of said Letters Patent for said inventions may issue.

And I (WE) do hereby covenant and agree, for themselves and their legal representatives, that they will assist their said Assignee in the prosecution of the application herein identified; in the making and prosecution of any other applications for Letters Patent that the said Assignee may elect to make covering the invention; and in the prosecution of any interference which may arise involving said invention, or any application or Letters Patent herein contemplated; and that they will execute and deliver to the said Assignee any and all additional papers which may be requested by the said Assignee to fully carry out the terms of this Assignment.

And the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue Letters Patent to the said Assignee in accordance with the terms of this Assignment.

The undersigned hereby grant(s) the attorneys of McDermott, Will & Emery the power to insert on this assignment any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation of this document.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I (WE) have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals.

Date: Jan. 30, 2001

Naoki Matsui (Seal)  
Naoki MATSUI

WITNESSED BY:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Applicant: Naoki MATSUI

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☐ ☐ Amendment to Alleged Use ☐ Statement of Use

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**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.183 TO CORRECT ASSIGNEE INFORMATION**

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Sir:

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Applicant hereby petitions to correct the Assignee information on the title page of the patent. Specifically, Applicant requests that 37 CFR § 3.871 be waived to permit the correct assignee data to be reflected in the issued patent.

As indicated on the attached copy of the recorded assignment for Serial No. 09/781,235, filed February 13, 2001, the correct Assignee data identifies MINOLTA Co., LTD., located in Osaka, Japan. However, due to a clerical error, the incorrect assignee data was entered on the Issue Fee transmittal Form PTO-85 Part B. Accordingly it is respectfully requested that this petition be granted such that the correct assignee be properly identified for this patent.

A copy of the date stamped postcard evidencing the filing of the Assignment on February 13, 2001 is also attached.

**09/781,235**  
**Patent 6,982,749 B2**

Please charge Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$130.00 as is set forth under 37 CFR § 1.17(h) to cover the cost of the petition fee pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.183. In addition, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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